

IN THE SENATE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 106

BY AGRICULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

1
2 STATING FINDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE AND AUTHORIZING THE IDAHO WHEAT COMMIS-
3 SION TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS WITH THE STATE BUILDING AUTHORITY TO FI-
4 NANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW BUILDING AT 821 W. STATE STREET IN BOISE
5 TO HOUSE OFFICES OF THE IDAHO WHEAT COMMISSION AND OTHER STATE COMMODITY
6 COMMISSIONS AND AGRICULTURAL GROUPS.

7 Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 WHEREAS, the Idaho Wheat Commission, a self-governed agency of the
9 State of Idaho, currently owns the property and building at 821 W. State
10 Street, Boise, Idaho; and

11 WHEREAS, the building is nearly 80 years old and approaching the end of
12 its useful life as maintenance and upkeep costs continue to rise; and

13 WHEREAS, the Idaho Wheat Commission building has been instrumental in
14 creating an office environment where agricultural commissions and groups
15 may share office expenses and collaborate on matters of mutual interest; and

16 WHEREAS, funds employed in the original purchase of the building have
17 been a wise investment of wheat grower dollars; and

18 WHEREAS, the timing is favorable for bonding due to historically low in-
19 terest rates.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the First Regular
21 Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of
22 Representatives concurring therein, that the Legislature authorizes and
23 approves the Idaho Wheat Commission to enter into an agreement or agreements
24 with the Idaho State Building Authority, under such terms and conditions as
25 may be reasonable and necessary, to provide financing to construct a new of-
26 fice building to house commodity commissions and other related agricultural
27 groups.

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution constitutes authorization
29 required by the provisions of Section 67-6410, Idaho Code.